

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention consists of a simple method for raising funds by using existing communication means.

5 Whenever a giver (1) makes a wired or wireless communication link (11) with an action-specific connection at a data processing entity (2) his identity is known, allowing this data processing entity to charge the giver with an amount that covers both the operational

10 costs of the data processing entity and an action-specific amount that the giver chooses to be charged with by the data processing entity but which the latter has to transfer (12) to the receiver (3) who investigates the charity projects (4) and allocates the raised funds (13)

15 less his overall operational and organizational costs. The amount to be transferred can either be preset by the receiver or can be selected by the giver. The same principle could be used to create a lottery when the data processing entity would, on behalf of the organizer of

20 the lottery, store the identification information of all givers on a secure memory. In this case the receiver (3) would become the organizer of the lottery of which the winner(s) (5) would periodically be drawn from the list with the givers' identity.

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